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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 111, transmitted herewith for filing are documents comprising a United States patent application relative to an invention entitled CATHETER WITH VALVED

DISTAL TIP in the name of the following inventor:

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Toward that end, the following are accordingly enclosed:

- <u>x</u> A specification, claims, an abstract, and a cover page in total comprising one hundred ninety-nine (199) pages.
- x Informal drawings comprising in total thirty-four (34) sheets.

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